

VOTE CALLED ON CHURCHILL

90-Billion Debt for United States Forecast by Jesse Jones

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

The Boston Transcript Passes

Old-style New Englanders got the shock of their lives last week when the proprietors of the Boston Evening Transcript, 111-year-old conservative newspaper, announced it would suspend publication May 1. But publishers recognized that the Transcript had ceased to be a factor in commercial newspaper circles many years ago. The death of the Transcript only emphasizes the vast gulf between the papers of today and the type of papers which operated in the past century, of which the Boston Transcript was perhaps the sole survivor.

The severe editorial policy which was in fashion a century ago limited newspapers to the printing of news of only the gravest and most general character, political summaries, literary criticisms, and authoritative interpretative articles.

Today's press still high-lights these features, but includes also a great deal of material for entertainment purposes which would have been called trivial a century ago, notably the comic pages.

Part of this change is due, of course, to mechanical discoveries, such as the invention of photo-engraving—the art of turning pictures into metal printing plates.

But fundamentally the change was brought about by the expansion of advertising. For advertising purposes, circulation and not editorial prestige is what counts. And as advertising grew the yearly subscription price of American newspapers was reduced, increasing circulation manifold. . . . for those papers which swam along with the trend.

The Transcript did not elect to follow the trend. For a generation it has been a lone sentinel of the past, up there in Boston, lost in a fierce pack of commercial newspapers, four combinations of morning-evening-and-Sunday.

To a newspaper man the carrying on of the Transcript a generation longer than its revenues justified it seems as futile as insisting on driving a horse-and-buggy because of a cultivated dislike of automobiles.

That's our practical judgment speaking. In a competitive world we either swim with the tide, or we get out of the water.

But that isn't all of just what a newspaper man feels toward the Transcript. Actually, it was a superior newspaper. It abounded in articles interpreting the various days through which it lived that could be lifted bodily out of the paper, preserved, and re-read a hundred years later as the terse and correct judgment of history.

The critical faculty of the press has been somewhat blunted by the weight of its universal circulation today. National magazines have come along, with months in which to prepare their material. But all of this is the natural result of a civilized nation in which every person is supposed to be able to read and write, and actually does.

Even Boston herself regarded the Transcript as something out of the historic past. This is a characteristic story told about the old newspaper: Several Boston newspapermen went to a Back Bay castle to interview the lady of the house. The butler looked them over, turned from the doorway and announced: "Madame, there are some reporters outside, and a gentleman from the Transcript."

Optimism

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—That park arboretum city officials planned to build with proceeds from six "emeralds," believed to be worth \$50,000, will have to be postponed. Left to the park commission as part of an estate, the "emeralds" were declared by appraisers to be green bottle glass.

In Alaska, trip between Fairbanks and Nome that once cost \$500 by dog sled now costs only \$78 via the airways.

CRANIUM CRACKERS

Historic April
History is made in April, it seems, as another eventful month of that name draws to a close. Let loose your April showers of knowledge on these questions about our fourth month.

1. What four nations were invaded by Hitler in April, and in what years?
2. What European king abdicated in April, 10 years ago?
3. What U. S. president was assassinated in April?
4. Name four of the five major wars that the U. S. entered in April.
5. What international bad man was born in April?

Answers on Comic Page

'And Sacrifices Still to Come', He Tells C. C.

Commerce Secretary Says Nation Can Pledge One Year's Income

WASHINGTON (AP)—Jesse Jones forecast Tuesday that the national debt would amount to at least 90 billion dollars, and declared, "We have not yet made any sacrifices."

"But they are in store for us—plenty of them," the Secretary of Commerce added in an address prepared for the annual convention of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

"A few months ago we were worrying about whether we could afford to increase government borrowing authority above 45 billion dollars," Jones recalled.

"It seems probable now that it will grow to at least double that amount, even allowing for paying as much of this extraordinary cost as our economy can stand from current taxes."

"Frankly, it has never occurred to me that we could not carry a national debt equal to a year's income, and as we build the national income we can carry more debt."

"But whatever amount we have to borrow we must commence to pay back the day the emergency is over."

The cabinet official declared that "much more" money will be appropriated within the next four years and pointed out that the cost of maintaining the army and navy will mount as the organizations are expanded.

Axis Troops Are Stopped

German-Italian Columns Halted in Egypt

CAIRO (AP)—All three Italian-German columns which crossed the Egyptian frontier three days ago have been halted within five miles of Salum, it was announced here Tuesday.

State Wins Its Tax Suit Against Missouri Pacific

Means \$30,449 for Hempstead Co., Says L. Gentry

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Supreme Court of the United States Monday upheld Arkansas' contention that its tax assessment dispute with the Missouri Pacific Lines was not subject to the jurisdiction of the federal District Court at St. Louis.

"There is nothing in the history of bankruptcy or reorganization legislation to support the theory that Congress intended to set the federal courts up as super-assessment agencies over state taxes," the court said.

The St. Louis court is supervising reorganization of the Missouri Pacific under the federal bankruptcy act.

The decision, by Justice Black, ordered the St. Louis court to dismiss litigation involving the Missouri Pacific's contention that it withheld payment of \$416,000 in taxes claimed by Arkansas and 51 of its counties for 1939 until legality of the assessment was determined. Justice Douglas did not participate and no dissent was announced.

Arkansas lawyers had argued since the litigation arose that the railroad's only appeal from the assessment fixed by the Arkansas Corporation Commission was to state courts at Little Rock.

The St. Louis court, holding the bankruptcy act authorized it to pass on tax assessments, issued a temporary injunction against collection of the taxes.

Following are payments made and the amounts due under Monday's decision:

Year Amt. Pd. Amt. Due
1938 \$622,092.88 \$414,728.54
1939 620,645.03 414,043.17
1940 597,011.88 433,495.87

Totals 1,839,749.79 1,262,267.58
Following is the approximate amount due the southwestern counties:

County Amt. Due
Hempstead \$30,449.52
Howard 3,313.53
Miller 32,314.11
Nevada 13,542.33
Pike 8,515.08

Gentry's Explanation
LITTLE ROCK — The United States Supreme Court, in effect, directed the Missouri Pacific Lines to pay \$1,262,267.58 additional taxes to the state for 1938-40 Monday, under an interpretation of the decision by Assistant Attorney General Lefell Gentry.

Mr. Gentry, who handled the state's defense of the railroad's suits for the attorney general's office during the last two years, termed the ruling an "all-out victory" for the state.

Chief Embree Announces New Fire Personnel

Lloyd Coop, Clyde Sexton Added to Force as Drivers

James Embree, Hope's new engineer and chief of the fire department, announced Tuesday that Lloyd Coop and Clyde Sexton have been added to the force as drivers.

Driver Creighton McDowell will be retained by the department. Two members of the department, Bernie Goynne and William Stephenson, have been dismissed, effective May 1.

Jack Adkins, chief engineer under the administration will remain in charge until May 10.

The following firemen will take over May 1:

Tom Duckett, Tom Bryant, Noah Hobbs, Jim Cobb, Joe Jones, B. Ponder, Harry Keith, Byron Evans, Will Carter, W. R. Ferrell, Olin Purdie.

Church Dinner Here Thursday

Annual Fellowship Program at Christian Church

Wednesday night at 7 o'clock the First Christian Church's regular third month Fellowship dinner will be held in the social room of the new annex.

Every member of the local congregation, and friends, are urged to be present.

No tickets for admittance will be sold. Members are requested to bring a contribution of food with which to supply the table. The program will be spontaneous nature.

A Thought

And the blind and the lame came to him in the temple; and he healed them.—Matthew 21:14.

Zoo Elephant Pins Down His Keeper



"Ziegfeld," large zoo elephant at Brookfield, Ill., pins down Keeper George Lewis with his tusks after becoming angry with him. Lewis was at the animal's mercy until he was able to escape by hitting Ziegfeld in the eye and running when the elephant lifted its head in pain from the blow.

Miners Resume Production

Union Decides to Accept Roosevelt's Proposal

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United Mine Workers union announced Tuesday that soft coal production would be resumed Thursday morning in the nation's bituminous fields, shut down since April 1 in a dispute over a new wage contract.

The announcement was made by a spokesman for Union President John L. Lewis after he had discussed with his district presidents in the Appalachian coal area the decision of southern producers Monday night to accept President Roosevelt's proposal to reopen the mines.

Stamps Worker Found Dead

Body Found Mangled on L. & A. Railway Tracts

STAMPS—The body of Obe McCoy, 36, WPA worker of Stamps, was found on the L. & A. tracks near the over-head bridge one mile north of here about 7:30 a. m. Sunday. The body was decapitated and mangled almost beyond recognition. No one witnessed the accident.

Coroner W. I. Stokes said that Mr. McCoy, who was totally deaf, apparently was en route to a friend's home. A jury returned a verdict that death was caused by being run over by a train.

He is survived by one son, Harold McCoy, Stamps; two daughters, Josephine and Louise McCoy of the Presbyterian Home, Monticello; and two brothers, Ocie and Tom McCoy, Stamps.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a. m. Monday at Sardis by the Rev. E. D. Brown.

Servant House Is Damaged By Fire

A small servant house at 406 South Pine, owned by Mrs. W. R. Chandler, was damaged slightly by fire Tuesday afternoon. Damage was estimated at \$20.

COTTON

By the Associated Press

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	11.24	11.32	11.24	11.37
July	11.27	11.44	11.26	11.40
October	11.27	11.48	11.27	11.43
December	11.28	11.48	11.28	11.43
January	11.41	11.41	11.41	11.40
March	11.29	11.47	11.29	11.42

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May	11.17	11.30	11.13	11.27
July	11.21	11.35	11.18	11.33
October	11.20	11.38	11.20	11.34
December	11.21	11.39	11.21	11.36
January	11.28	11.34	11.28	11.32
March	11.22	11.39	11.21	11.36

Middling Spot 11.47.

100 Attend Stamp Meet

Instructions Given to Hempstead Merchants

Approximately 100 Hempstead county merchants met at the city hall here Monday night and made plans to handle food stamps which will begin to circulate May 1.

Details and instructions were explained to the group by Stanley E. Monroe and Neil G. Grinland, surplus commodity officials of Dallas, Texas. These officials have been in Hempstead county for the past month aiding in setting up the plan.

At the Monday meeting Kenneth Hamilton, acted as chairman. R. P. Bowen made a short talk welcoming the merchants to Hope.

The merchants committee announced that 93 stores in the county had been signed up to handle the stamps.

Armory Work to Begin Soon

Construction to Begin in About One Month

In a letter received by the Hope Chamber of Commerce Monday Mayor Patrick Harris of Little Rock announced armory here would probably begin in about a month.

The letter follows: Mr. R. P. Bowen, Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Hope, Arkansas, Dear Sir:

The revised project for the construction of the armory at Hope has been sent to Washington for approval and as soon as it is returned to the W. P. A. office they will be in a position to issue work orders for the beginning of the construction of this armory. I could not give you a definite date, but I assure you that this project will get under way as soon as this detail has been worked out.

The State Military Department is ready for the beginning of this construction. I would say that it will be about a month before work will actually begin on this building.

Yours very truly,
Patrick Harris
Mayor, Infantry

Hope Boy Installed in Honor Society

CONWAY — Bobbie Jewell of Hope, Hendrix college junior, has been installed as a charter member of the Hendrix chapter of Blue Key, national honorary leadership fraternity.

A charter was presented at a banquet Monday night by Dr. John Clarke, national president of Blue Key. The new Hendrix chapter has eleven men student members and nine faculty members.

Nazis Cleaning Up Greece

Remaining British Force Retreating to Crete

BERLIN (AP)—Informed sources said Tuesday night German troops were approaching the last harbors in extreme southern and southwestern Greece.

These harbors were described as the only ones available for removing the remainder of the British and Greek forces still fighting in Greece.

Informed quarters said that the British had been embarking on sailing ships and other small vessels—even fishing boats—in their flight to Crete, about 75 miles away.

"Numerous sailing ships on the strand and during passage were bombed and machinegunned," they said.

"Many were sunk and others were damaged and rendered unseaworthy. The Dunkerque episode was repeated."

Germans in Pursuit
BERLIN (AP)—German forces have plunged into the southern half of the Peloponnese in pursuit of retreating British and Greek troops, the Nazi high command announced Tuesday.

By all indication Crete, Greece's largest island and now seat of her government, is next in line for attack after the mainland mop-up.

The "mopping up," Tuesday's communiqué said, had progressed beyond Tripolis, in the heart of Peloponnese. In North Africa, the high command said, "new and considerable losses" have been inflicted on the British by Axis force driving into the imperial lines in the Salum region of Egypt.

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War's Conduct to Be Issue In British Debate

Anthony Eden Returning to England to Speak for Government

LONDON (AP)—With a snappy "no sir," Prime Minister Churchill, Tuesday flatly rejected a suggestion that he form a streamlined supreme war cabinet and called for a vote of confidence next week on his conduct of the war.

Churchill put the question of his conduct of the war in general and the ill-starred Balkan campaign, in particular before the house in announcing that debate would be held next week on the entire issue.

The house greeted with loud cheers Churchill's announcement that "it would be offered the following motion for debate:

"That his house approve the policy of the government in sending help to Greece and declare its confidence that our operations in the Middle East, on all other theaters of war will be pursued by the government with utmost vigor."

Churchill said, if the house wished, debate could be extended over two days, explaining that the government had arranged debate on the first sitting day after this week.

He indicated Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, whose trip to the Balkans and the Middle East preceded the Greek campaign, "would take an important part in the discussions."

Eden is expected to report on his diplomatic efforts in the Middle East to build up a front against the Axis.

U. S. Patrols 2,000 Miles Out

Operating Half-Way Across Atlantic, Stark Says

WASHINGTON (AP)—Admiral Stark disclosed in an address to a defense luncheon Tuesday that American neutrality patrols were operating at some points 2,000 miles from shore.

Stark indicated, in addition to his prepared speech, that patrols were operating half-way across the Atlantic from high latitudes in both oceans.

He linked the patrols with the problem of conveying ships to Britain but did not indicate what connection he saw between them.

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Monroe and Mow-Down Doctrines

A few Americans are being led down a mental one-way street these days that leads smack up against a brick wall. It runs about like this: Why not let Germany control all of Europe, Russia all of east Asia and the western Pacific? That would still leave the Western Hemisphere. After all, what are they doing in their parts of the world that is not doing with the Monroe Doctrine in our own? Why couldn't a pretty good world order be worked out that way?

The answer is simple. There is no

connection whatever between what Germany is doing in Europe, Russia in Europe and Asia, Japan in Asia, and the Monroe Doctrine-Pan American plan for the Western Hemisphere. In the 118 years since the Monroe Doctrine, no American nation has ever lost its sovereignty because of it. It has certainly preserved the sovereignty of many.

The United States has never claimed exclusive or special commercial rights in any country. If you think there is no difference between that policy and those of the Germans and Japanese, try to do a little business in Manchuria today, or in Poland. The United States does not interfere today with the way any American country conducts its internal affairs, and it has not done so in the past except in a few cases where internal disorder was real, and where worse interference from Europe was threatened.

To be acting in the German-Japanese "new order" style, the United States would already have had to seize Mexico and all the American countries south to the Canal as well as Colombia and Venezuela on the north coast of South America. It would have had to infiltrate thousands of spies into the rest of South America with a view to creating stodge governments ready to take over at a signal.

These things we have not done, and do not propose to do. First, we don't think that way, and don't believe it is right. And second, we do not have huge minorities of American residents in those countries sporting a phony double citizenship that gives them the protection of local laws while demanding their ultimate allegiance to the U. S.

People fool themselves badly if they think that the United States could sit back serenely in its hemisphere if the rest of the world were parceled out into three or four packages. For the aggressors have a complete domination over their areas, economic, political and military, which the United States does not have and does not want in this hemisphere. With the rest of the world closed against us except on the terms of a handful of conquerors, our own hemisphere

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COTTON SEED, D. & P. L. 11-A One year from breeder. See W. Kendall Lemley. 28-61c

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would be left open on equal terms to all, ripe for infiltration and covert conquest as a preliminary to actual military subjection. No. Our way will work only if the seas and most of the rest of the world are reasonably free. That is why our whole future hangs on keeping it free.

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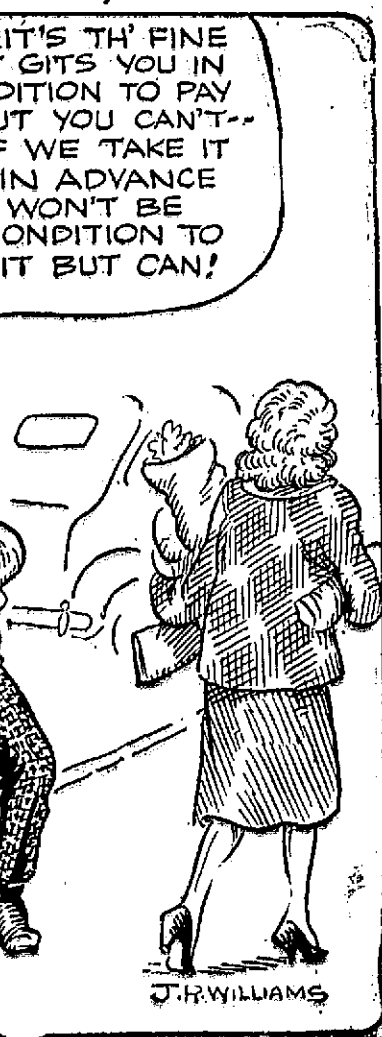
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22 Alleged force.
23 Aspiration.
24 Lock opener.
25 Lures.
26 Southeast (abbr.).
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Answer to Cranium Cracker

- Questions on Page One
1. Hitler invaded Denmark and Norway in April, 1940; Yugoslavia and Greece in April, 1941.
 2. King Alfonso XIII abdicated the throne of Spain on April 14, 1931.
 3. Abraham Lincoln was shot April, 1865; W. H. Harrison died of pneumonia a month after his inauguration, in April, 1840.
 4. Revolution, in April, 19, 1775; War with Mexico, April 25, 1846; Civil War, April 15, 1861; War with Spain, April 21, 1898; World War, April 6, 1917.
 5. Adolf Hitler was born April 20, 1889 in Braunau, Austria.

SWAP! Through the WANT ADS

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee in a mortgage executed by W. J. Kassinger to the United States on the 27 day of March, 1940, and 16 day of August, 1940 and duly filed in the office of the Recorder in and for Hempstead County, Arkansas, the said W. J. Kassinger having waived all rights of appraisement, sale and redemption under the laws of the State of Arkansas; pursuant to the powers granted under the terms of the aforementioned mortgage, and by the laws of the State of Arkansas, will, on the 1 day of May, 1941, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of said date, at Andrew Thornton, in the County of Hempstead, State of Arkansas, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property to-wit: 1 black mare, Fannie, 1100 lbs, 5; 1 light bay mare mule, Maude, 1100 lbs, 12; 1 pressure cooker, 1-7" McCormick-Deering Break Plow, 1 double shovel, 1 break plow, 2 gee whizz, 1 barrow.

BARBS

To some people there seems to be no place like away from home. Midwest officials seized a shipment of bootleg liquor labeled "Fish." Maybe that was who it was billed to. Lots of people's incomes are what they can't live without or within. Fashion says men's summer clothes will be about the same as last year's. Except for a cleaning and pressing. Some drivers who guess they can make it never have another guess coming.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



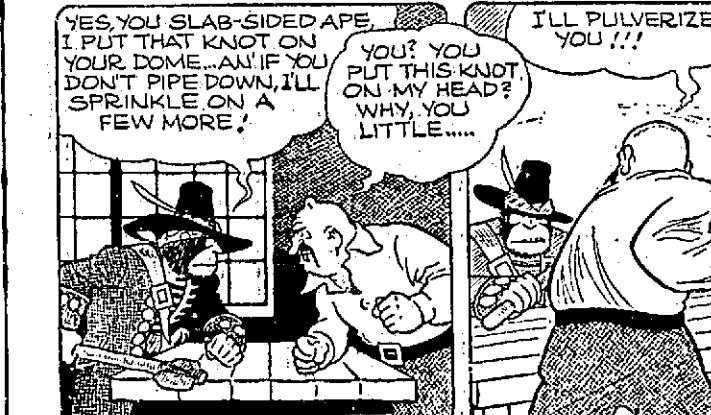
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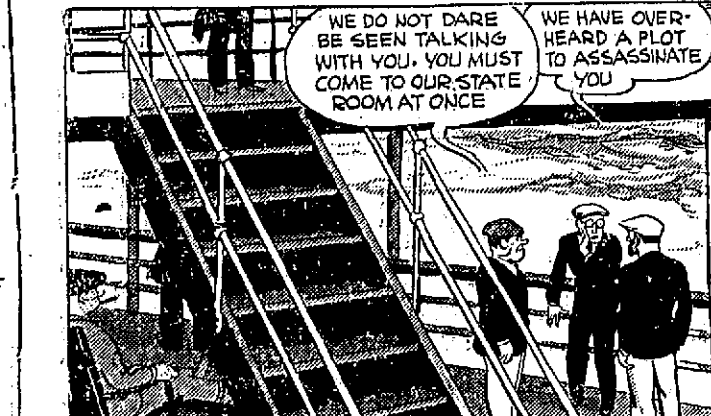
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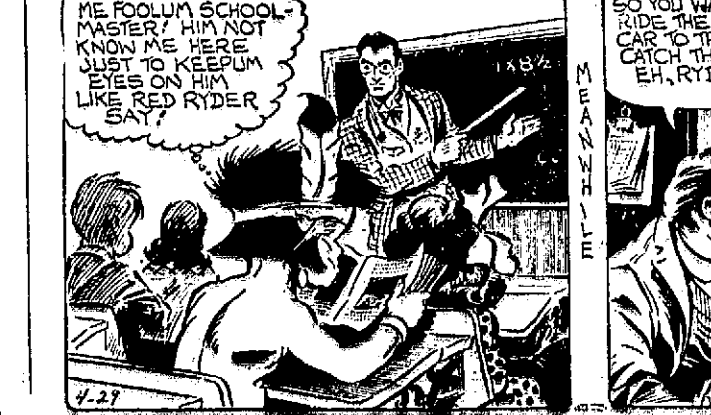
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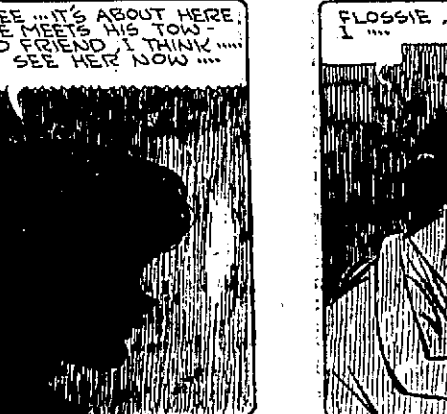
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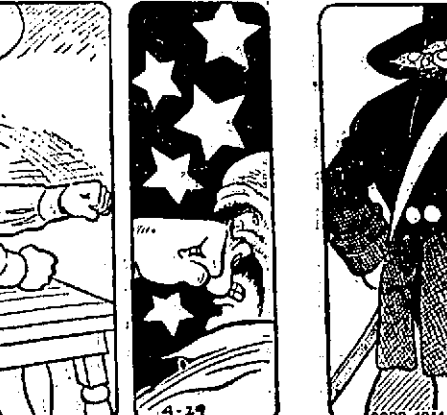
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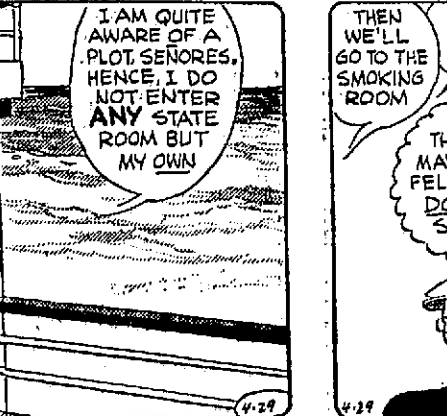
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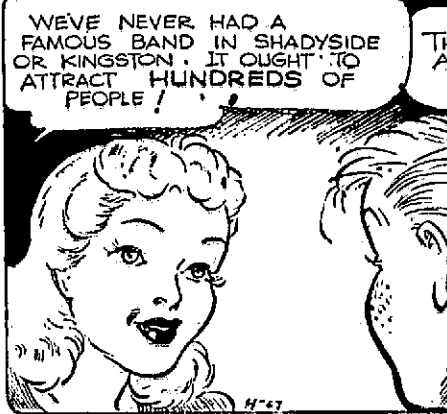
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What's the Game?



A Big Help



Everybody's Suspicious



By V. T. Hamlin



By Edgar Martin



By Roy Crane



By Merrill Blosser



By Fred Harman



"Land of Liberty" Opens at Saenger Theater on Wednesday

Colbert, Fonda Star in Newest Screen Drama

Many Stars Appear in Saga of America's Fight for Freedom

In "Land of Liberty," spectacular tale of the American fight for freedom, opening Wednesday on the Saenger screen, stars shine like those in the firmament, more than 130 of Hollywood's great appearing in

various thrill scenes of the production. Spencer Tracy, Margaret Sullivan, Betty Davis, John and Lionel Barrymore, Wallace Beery, Claudette Colbert, Gary Cooper, Irene Dunne, George Brent, Henry Fonda, Joel McCrea, Fredric March, Robert Montgomery, Anna Neagle, George Raft, James Stewart, Randolph Scott, Lewis Stone and Loretta Young are but a few of the big names appearing in important roles.

Composed of shots from 112 feature pictures and short subjects, besides countless cuttings from news-reels and stock material, the film describes events in American history from the time the first white man landed on the shores of North America to the present moment.

Among the historical characters impersonated by the brilliant cast are Patrick Henry, George Washington, Alexander Hamilton, Dolly Madison, Andrew Jackson, Lincoln and his cabinet, General Custer and Theodore Roosevelt.

Contrasting solemnity with gaiety, seriousness with humor, the film unrolls as a never-ending source of entertainment.

Assembled from 2,000,000 feet of film by its editor, Cecil B. DeMille, "Land of Liberty" includes in the cast some 30,000 persons and presents 139 famous stars. It was shown originally at the New York World's Fair and the San Francisco Exposition. All profits from the film realized by the distributors will be donated to war emergency welfare work by the motion picture industry.

Together with the stars noted above, such film celebrities appear in various exciting sequences as Don Ameche, George Arliss, Edward Arnold, Binnie Barnes, Warner Baxter, George Brent, Virginia Bruce, Bob Burns, Leo Carrillo, the Dead End Kids, Richard Dix, Janet Gaynor, Walter Huston, Victor McLaglen, Raymond Massey, Gail Patrick, George Raft, Luise Rainer, Paul Robeson, Ann Rutherford, Joseph Schildkraut and Akim Tamiroff.

Library Adds Juvenile Books

New Books Are Placed on Shelves This Week

Among the new juvenile books added to the Hempstead County Library shelves this week are:

"Three From Greenways," by Alice Dalgleish, a story of children from England. When their village was bombed Joan, Timothy, and John were sent to America to live. There they lived with a lively family at Halfway House in Connecticut. This story tells very simply, the story that all children should know of the coming to America of British children for the duration of the war.

"Stories for Little Children," by Pearl S. Buck are simple tales of the sun, moon, stars, clouds and snow, rainbow, thunder and darkness.

"Cubbydub," by Helen and Ralph Evers is the story of a little cub who was never happy. He cried all the time, when it was raining or when the sun was shining, when it was hot or when it was cold. What made the cub start being cheerful makes a very amusing book for children from three to six.

"Nicomachus Laughs," by Inez Hogan, is the latest Nicomachus book. Children are familiar with the Hogan books and in this one Nicomachus and little Sister have lots of fun.

Other new books are "All Through the Night," by Rachel Field; "Fisherman Tommy," by Ian Fawcett; "The Feast of the Lambs," by Charlotte Root; "Counting the Days," by James E. Tipple; "The Tree That Ran Away," by Weston; "Carlo, the Hound Who Thought He Was a Cat," by Johnson; "Buzzy Bear and the Cabin Boy," by Hawkins; "Barney's Adventure," by Austin.

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In Washington

By PETER EDSON, NEA Washington Correspondent

Peace Advocates Take Heart on New Gains, Prepare for Three Big Battles in Congress

WASHINGTON — One month ago the advocates of peace for America had about given up. The lease-lend bill had gone through congress by wide margins. It looked as if the United States were headed for eventual war.

Today, these peace advocates have taken heart. They think now they have a 50-50 chance of keeping the country out of war. The next month or six weeks will give the answer.

It is a strange group that is clubbed together in this spokesmen are Senators Wheeler and Nye, who have been barn-storming the country and drawing tremendous crowds. Unofficially, it has the America First Committee as its most active element.

In Washington it has the peace lobby groups, the old National Council for Prevention of War and the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom and kindred organizations, a half dozen of which have formed a Keep America Out of War Congress for a four-day mass meeting in Washington on Decoration Day week-end. There are individualists like Colonel Lindbergh and Sinclair Lewis, General Johnson and John T. Flynn who are star performers. There is a lunatic fringe, including the Coughlinites and the Gerald Smith Committee of a Million, which have been showing a new strength under the peace banners of the midwest.

There is a definite effort on the part of all these organizations to keep out the Communists and the Nazis and the Fascists who are all too anxious to see the peace movement succeed in America, though for different reasons. Senator Nye, speaking in Detroit, was somewhat set back to find his meeting under the sponsorship of the Gerald Smith crowd.

They Point To—

The belief of all the legitimate peace groups that their cause has a chance is based on a number of contentions: Most important is the recent national poll showing that only 17 per cent of

Legal Notice

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION for Selection of Members of the County Board of Education

Notice is hereby given that a special school election for the purpose of electing members of the County Board of Education will be held by the electors of each and every school district of Hempstead County, Arkansas, Saturday May 24, 1941, between the hours of two and six-thirty p. m.

One member of the said Board of Education must be elected by the qualified electors of each of the four zones into which the county is divided and one member representing the county at large, but residing in a rural school district or a district that does not employ a superintendent.

The names of candidates will be placed on the ballots when petitions signed by 50 or more qualified electors of the zones in which said candidate resides are filed with the County Clerk at least 20 days before the election. Such petitions should be filed with the County Clerk of Hempstead County on or before the first day of May.

The following are the zones in which the County is divided:

Zone One shall include all the territory of the following school districts: Spring Hill, No. 10, Sumner Island, No. 33, Stephenson, No. 44, Fatinos, No. 3, Oak Grove, No. 61, Harmony, No. 57, Liberty Hill, No. 37.

Zone Two shall include all the territory of Fulton, No. 5, Saratoga, No. 9-11, Howard-Hempstead Counties, Nazarene, No. 77, Guernsey, No. 20, Hope, No. 1-A, Centerville, No. 67, Rocky Mound, No. 4.

Zone Three shall include all the territory of Temple, No. 81, Columbus, No. 3, Fair Star, No. 62, Washington, No. 12, Oakland, No. 58, Bradley, No. 82, DeAnn, No. 7, Piney Grove, No. 17.

Zone Four shall include all the territory of Blevins, No. 2, Wesley Grove, No. 78, Ogan, No. 8, Clow, No. 18-A, Redland, 18-B, Nolen, No. 23, Shiloh, No. 55, Iron Springs, No. 22, Ebenzer, No. 50, Chestnut Hill, No. 70.

That part of Nashville School District within the borders of Hempstead County shall be included with Nashville School District of Howard County. That part of Saratoga School District and that part of Columbus School District within the limits of Howard County shall be included with said districts of Hempstead County.

Done and signed by order of the County Court of Hempstead County, Arkansas, Fred A. Luck, County Judge, this 22nd day of April 1941.

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the people wanted to go to war. Next is a realization that the country is not now prepared for war, and cannot be prepared for another year. Third is the fear that the war may end before American aid to Britain can do any effective good. This is important, as every British defeat swings more of the "undecided" element of the population into the peace ranks. Fourth is the success of the Wheeler and Nye speeches in arousing people to the dangers of war. Fifth is the unwillingness of labor to recognize the dangers to their rights in the present emergency and make the sacrifices which they might make if the country were actually at war. Sixth is a belief that the administration's new tax program will scare many people away from war's unquestionable cost. Seventh is a matter of interpretation. The administration has frequently called attention to the apathy of the American people in this crisis. The peace advocates say "apathy" is the wrong word—that it is in reality coldness and a total disinterest in war. Eighth is the fact that congressmen's mail is again running heavy against war.

Three Fields For Battle All these points are listed here not to advocate them, but merely to try to summarize the argument from the peace side. If the peace advocates' contention that the country is drifting away from war is true, then the anti-war crowd has actually talked the country away from war sentiment while the administration has merely bemoaned the public's lack of appreciation of the crisis. To overcome that trend, the administration will have to send its best campaign orators into the field to sell the country on its policy. These orators will have to do a better job than Hull and Knox did in their last speeches and Wendell Willkie's proposed speaking tour for the former William Allen White committee will have to be good to be effective. If the cause of non-participation in the war was not lost with the passage of the lease-lend bill, then there are three last ditchers on which the issue can be fought, in congress again: First is Senator Tobey's resolution to ban convoys. Second is the concurrent resolution backed by Senators Nye, Wheeler,

Capper, La Follette Clark of Idaho, and Shipstead, calling for a national referendum on the question: "Shall the congress under existing conditions approve the use of land, naval, and air forces outside the western hemisphere or the territorial possessions of the United States and appropriate funds necessary for such military and naval operations?" Third is the Capper resolution, proposing a constitutional amendment which shall provide for declaration of war by national referendum only. Congress can provide a much better battle on any of these three questions within the next months than it could have a month ago.

Misery doesn't love company that stays for dinner.

Clubs

Friendship

The Friendship Home Demonstration met with Mrs. G. F. Lively, April 18. The roll call was answered with a new dish prepared for her family, by 11 members. Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. Noel Moses, Mrs. Clous Chism, Mrs. W. L. Moses and Mrs. Will Reese were added as new members.

The Food and Nutrition Leader gave an interesting talk. Other subjects were discussed by the group. Mrs. Will Reese was elected for Food Preservation. Odell Wilson will be our Fair Chairman.

Quiz Program

BALTIMORE, Md. —(AP)—Municipal museum employees wonder just what the public thinks a museum does. Recent visitors have included: A couple wanting a marriage license, a sportsman seeking a dog license, a policeman who thought it was the liquor board, six people asking for real estate permits, and one couple asking for a man by name because they thought it was the city jail.

Defined An animal that is gregarious, polygamous, and omnivorous, is one that lives in herds, or flocks; has more than one mate at a time, and eats both animal and vegetable matter.

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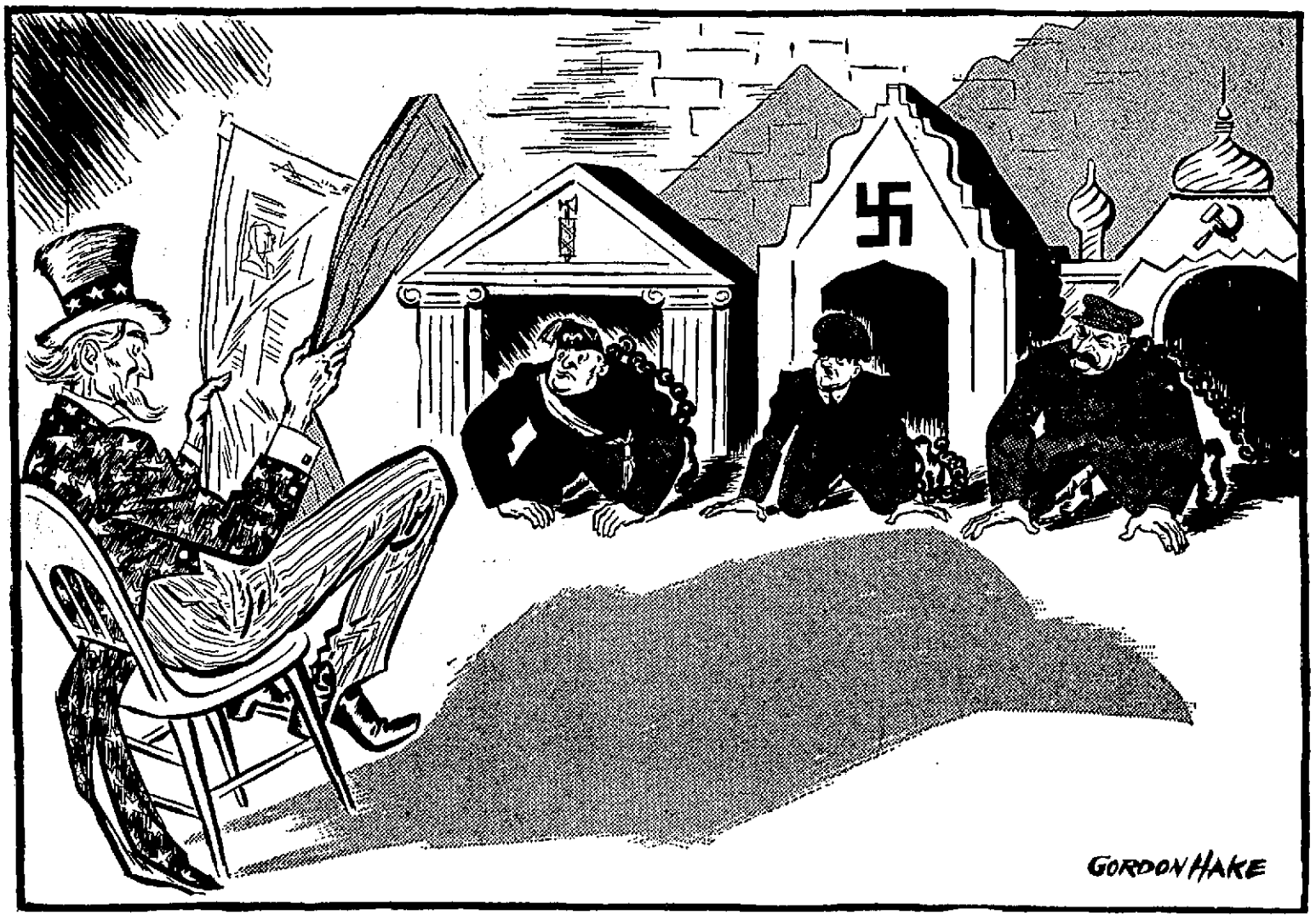
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BY NORMAN CHANDLER, CHAIRMAN, NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS COMMITTEE

DICTATORS are in the doghouse, as far as America is concerned. And FREEDOM OF SPEECH in America put them there!

If a hundred fearless American newspaper publishers were given the chance to produce and circulate newspapers—OUR KIND OF NEWSPAPERS—in Germany, Hitler wouldn't last a month in his own country. Fifty could do the trick in Italy. And ten might upset Stalin.

You see, the first thing that happens when a GOVERNMENT wants to take over the liberties of the people is to suppress the newspapers, shut off criticism and banish free discussion.

NOW LET'S LOOK AT THE JOB of our newspapers right here in America. Suppose, for a moment, we decided that, in the interest of national unity, we should shut off all criticism or unfavorable news about OUR government.

How long do you think our freedom would last? Any crook in office could do as he pleased—rob the treasury, sabotage national defense, bungle his job, ruin the country. And how would YOU know about it if there couldn't be any BAD news?

How would the honest public servant rally public support to back his efforts if HIS criticism and opinions could not be brought to you?

Remember, it is always GOVERNMENT that enslaves man—either by its own acts or by tolerating the acts of rogues. And one of the things YOU, freedom-loving American citizens, have put BEYOND EVEN THE SUPREME COURT is freedom of speech and thought. Keep it there.

Watch that it isn't taken from you by subterfuge or by indirection.

Certain well-meaning but misguided people have all too recently suggested that the American press should, to a man, "Support the government," meaning the party in power at the moment. God forbid! That happens only in a dictatorship. And when it happens, dictatorship inevitably comes.

What we all want our press to do is to support Democracy—the first principle of which is the freedom and dignity and rights of the individual.

And if the lowest or the highest public servant needs his deeds, good or bad, reported, let's hope the American press will go on doing the reporting.

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